## WATER CURE SMITH AGAIN UNDER FIRE

Civil Governor Grant of Leyte Severely Arraigns American General.

MILITARY RULE

DISASTROUS

Interferes With Peace of Islands and Occasions Distrust Among Natives.

is contained in a report by Capt. J. over by Speaker Henderson, of the II. Grant, civil governor of the prov- an address in which he paid a glowing ince of Leyte, P. I., concerning differ- tribute to Rosecrans as a soldier, cuces between himself and the gen- statesman and man. The president eral, which was sent by Secretary also made a short address. Root to the senate committee or Philippines yesterday.

"Since Gen. Smith has been in command here," writes Capt. Grant, "there has not been a single surren-



GENERAL JACOB HARD SMITH.

der of arms or men, nor has there been a single capture to my knowledge. The only thing he has accomplished, to my knowledge, was the and next spring. More liberal deliverest of a few men on Biliran and eries of woolen goods are reported. along the straits, on the confession of one of Lukban's officers, the truth there has been much improvement in

Capt. Grant asserts that certain troops were removed from towns in May 1. Levete for the purpose of bringing about military control. He com- in the United States, against 177 last plains of the arrest of several native year, and 17 in Canada, against 19 a presidentes of villages by the mili- year ago. tary authorities, and continues:

#### Military Course Damaging.

"Unfortunately for the peace and tranquility of the people of this prov- The Presbyterian Synod Committee ince, the military authorities here have sustained a severe fright since the Balangiga affair and have done many things that are calculated to hinder the progress of civil government.

dents are described by Gov. Grant as port of the special committee on the follows: "Immediately after the re- revision of the confession of faith. ceipt of the news of the massacre at One of the propositions to be voted Balangiga the military authorities be- on by the Presbyterlans if this report to call a special convention. The three gan patrolling the town from about is adopted is that chapter 4, sectino 3, s o'clock p. m. until the next morning. is "not to be regarded as teaching that challenging and arresting everyone any one who die in infancy are lost, who could not satisfy the patrol that We believe that all dying in infancy they were good men. On the night of are included in the election of grace Sept. 30 a sentry shot and instantly and are regenerated and saved." killed a man who did not hear, or at least did not heed his challenge. Of nation, It is proposed to make this course, the people do not understand article (No. VII) read as follows: "We why these things should take place believe that God, from the beginning,

under civil government. "Following this on the afternoon of the 9th inst, orders were sent out titude, chosen in Christ unto holiness from district headquarters direct to all who come to years of discretion the presidente, so he says, to arrest can receive this salvation only through and take to the tribunal every man in faith and repentance; and we believe Tacioban who came from Sumar. The that all who die in infancy, and all result was that 150 men were arrested others given by the Father to the Son without warrant or other process and subjected to a kind of an investigation, which, being incompleted at a late hour at night, quite a number of He pleases." them were confined until next morning, when the investigation proceeded sion during the assembly and will and all were given their liberty ex- make the gathering memorable, re-

Fire Into Laboring Men. "I am informed that a detachment from Tanauan recently fired into a party of laborers from Daguami, killto military reports, but I think there stories of bribery in the police departpened in the daytime, and the soldiers against Superintendent of Police Fred all the information obtainable it was colonel of the 13th Minnesota in the part of the officer in charge."

## THE FINAL TRIBUTE

Paid to Gen. Rosecrans in Arlington Ceme-

Washington, May 17.-The remains of Maj. Gen. Wildam Starke Rosen- open the casket with a crowbar and erans were today reinterred in Arl-lescaped with the contents.

Washington, May 17 .- A severe ar-lington cemetery with imposing cereraignment of Gen. Jacob H. Smith monies. The services were presided house of representatives, who made

### **WEATHER AND WAGES**

The Disturbing Factions in Business the Present Week.

New York, May 17 .- R. G. Dvn & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Weather and wages continue the only seriously disturbing factors in the business situation. Excessive moisture and low temperature made the crop outlook more uncertain, and much detion of pay in the Pittsburg region accelerated retail trade, while resumption of woolen and other mills added largely to the active force. Transa year ago by 5.2 per cent.

Pig iron production attained a new record for the month of April at 1,503,-326 tons. Such an enormous production would suggest accumulation of supplies, but consumption easily keeps pace. Sole leather is quiet. Hides again secured a moderate advance in prices. In the dry goods market there is evidence of increased buying for fall

While it is generally agreed that to withtor whoat states sh ing of the month, prices became somewhat firmer upon the publication of the official report of condition on

Failures for the week numbered 228

Makes Its Re-

port.

New York, May 17 .- At the second day's sessions of the Presbyterian gen-The most important of these inci- eral assembly the feature was the re-

> Another change proposed in the confession is as to election and predesti in His own good pleasure, gave to His Son a people, an innumerable mulservice and salvation; we believe that who are beyond the reach of the outward means, of grace, are regenerated and saved by Shrist through the Spirlt. Who works when and where and how

The report will come up for discus gardless of the result.

#### MINNEAPOLIS POLICE

ACCUSED OF BRIBERY as readily as did the anthracite miners Minneapolis, May 17.—The grand ing one and wounding two, according jury which has been investigating the were more men wounded. This hap- ment today returned indictments whom the miners have yearly con were commanded by an officer. From W. Ames, brother of the mayor, and purely a case of nervousness on the Philippine campaign, and Detectives Norbeck and Howard, Irving and general convention has power to abro-Gardner.

Mystery of a Hollow Tree, LaCrosse, Wis., May 17 .- George Laguire, an engineer on the Dubuque division of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, found a coffin secreted in a hollow tree near Savan na. He hurrled back to his comrades for assistance, but when he returned some one had been there and broken

#### TO MAKE A RECORD ALFONSO If the Anthracite Miners' Strike Developes As Is Now Proposed.

TO INVOLVE HALF A MILLION MEN Besides Probably Tieing up the Takes Oath of Whole Country for the Want of Coal.

Hazelton, May 17 .- The general conention of United Mine Workers of America, anthracite coal territory of Pennsylvania, began this morning. HE BECOMES OF AGE There is a strong sentiment among delegates against a permanent sus pension of work at this time and it against the strike order. President
Mitchell was elected chairman and admonished the delegates to stand together, whatever the decision may be. A recess was taken until this af-

Washington, May 17.—The National Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the federation, came over from New York yesterday afternoon and had a conference with Senator Hanna and Samsion was reached, but the conferrees the constitution. agreed to think the matter over care. The procession was a spectacle of fully. Easley returned to New York.

Hazleton, Pa., May 17 .- The anthracite mine workers in convention yespends on a continuance of prosperity terday, in order to wha their strike, in the agricultural sections. On the unanimously decided upon a plan that other hand record-breaking distribu- if carried into successful operation soon as practicable for the purpose of endeavoring to have all the bituminous mine workers, both organized and unorganized, involved in the anthracite miners' struggle. This announcement was officially made at noon yesterday by President John Mitchell in a statement giving the result of the deliberations of the delegates in convention.

Result of Such a Tie-Up. If a special national convention is called and the miners succeed in their object it would directly affect 449,000 men who are employed in and about the coal mines of the country. Coal would soon become scarce, and this would ultimately result in the tying up of railroads and all sorts of Industries that use large quantities of the fuel. It is doubted by some interested persons here who are closely watching developments that such a stupendous movement could be brought about, for the reason that the business interests AS TO CREED REVISION the reason that the business interests of the country would not stand idly by and permit such a plan to be put into effect.

Strikers Are Enthusiastic. The striking miners are enthusiastic over the convention's action and most of them can see only success in the proposition. An absolutely trustworthy source is authority for the statement that the special convention will be called, probably at Indianapolis, in the course of several weeks. According to the rules of the United Mine Workers a petition signed by five Mine Workers' districts is necessary anthracite districts are unanimous for such a meeting, and it is likely that the West Virginia district and the Michigan district will consent to the issuance of the call. The two latter districts now have small but stubborn strikes in progress, and they will doubt less consent to the call so that they too, may receive the benefit of whatevr may be accomplished.

MORE STRIKES COMING, ANYHOW Forty-Five Thousand Other Men To Be

Idle in a Few Weeks, National Secretary-Treasurer Wil son, of Indianapolis, said that within the next two or three weeks, regardless of the special convention, 30,000 men in Virginia and West Virginia. and from 15,000 to 20,000 in the soft coal region of central Pennsylvania, will be on strike. They will be called out, he said, for the purpose of forcing the mine owners to give them higher wages, and incidentally to help the anthracite workers. These men, he went on to say, are partly organized local unions having been established in all localities in those regions, and he felt confident that the non-union men would respond to the strike call

in the fall of 1900. A point has been raised that the United Mine Workers cannot call out Duke of Connaught the Bearer of the Inthe men employed by companies with tracts or wage agreements, but Secre tary Wilson said that such is not the case. He said that the mine workers' organization respects all such agree ments or contracts, but added that a rate them if it seems that such action is necessary. This is seldom, if ever done. If the life of the union was endangered, Wilson said, then a convention would call out men working under contracts or agreements. If a company working under an agreement or contract should send coal into territories where a strike is on by the mine workers' union. Wilson said, the men employed by that company would be ordered out on strike, as the or-

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Spain's Youthful Monarch Office.

in Old Madrid.

Civic Federation has under serious tained his majority today and became consideration the means whereby it king in fact as well as in name, havmay be helpful in bringing about a ter- ing reached the age of 16, prescribed mination of the anthracite coal strike. by the constitution. Beautiful weather favored this central day of the

The royal procession formed on the uel Gompers. The strike situation was Plaza De Armes in front of the palace discussed in all its phases in an en- shortly before 2 p. m., and proceeddeavor to find a way by which an ed to the chamber of deputies, where adjustment of this very serious labor in the presence of senators and depudispute may be reached. No conclu- ties the king took the oath to uphold

mediaeval magnificence.

Madrid, May 17 .- Glorious weather prevailed here yesterday. The sun's rays poured down on the decorated streets, giving the city the gayest aswould practically tie up the industries pect possible. The decorations are of the country, paralyze business and now practically complete, and in adinconvenience the people throughout dition to the route which the coronaporting lines continue to make splen- the United States. It is their desire tion procession will follow today many did exhibits, railway carnings for the that a special national convention of other streets have been profusely first week of May exceeding those of the United Mine Workers be called as adorned with flags and bunting. The



QUEEN CHRISTINA. facades of many houses are almost hidden by long stretches of red and yellow cloth, and their occupants have hung multi-colored carpets, silken tapestries-many of them beautifully embroidered with flowers and other such devices-from the windows and bal-

Stars and Stripes Not Prominent. Festoons of evergreens, in which variegated fairy lamps form rosebuds, imitation palm trees, and banners flutcession are brightly draped and beflagged. The national colors every- to offer the Order of the Garter. where predominate. Ther tre a few British union jack flying, out hardly any stars and stripes are visible. The low, presented his credentials and read general filumination, which took place last night for the first time, was very | fonso responded in fitting words, and

effective and artistic. Streets Full of Country Folk. A pilgrimage from San Isidro has brought the country folk to town, and | Connaught, bending low before the picturesque groups of peasants are parading the streets, the men in quaint boy's leg, adding the "riband" and costumes—embroidered waistcoats and "George," other tokens of the order. knee breeches, adorned with big silver King Alfonso meanwhile read the Adbuttons, with gaudy handkerchiefs monition of the Garter, and, when the around their heads and hempen san- duke pronounced him a knight of the dals on their feet. Others wear close order, bowed majestically. The duke fitting jackets with silver buttons, carry tartan shawls on their shoulders, and have staffs in their hands. The women are dressed in the brightest colors-vellow and red-with embroidered mantilla and are soberly attired.

Dr. Curry at a Banquet. There was a brilliant banquet at the ed States special envoy, and the other envoys were present. The surrounding streets were flagged, draped, dazingly illuminated and crowded with sighteers. The British and United States legations were artistically illuminated.

ORDERS FOR THE YOUNG KING

signia of the fiarter. King Alfonso was invested with a number of foreign decorations yesterday morning. The ceremony, which was of an imposing nature, took place in the throne room of the palace. The king was surrounded by a brilliant assemblage of high officers of state. Among the orders bestowed upon him was that of the Garter, which he received from the Duke of Connaught, as the representative of King Edward; the Cordon Bleu of the Order of the Seraphim, from Prince Eugene of Sweden, representing King Oscar, and the Royal Order of Siam, from the crown prince of Siam, the special envoy of the king of Siam.

At an early bour the British ambasador and the members of his embassy arrived in the throne room of the roval and educational institutions.

# Results in Death of Four Whites

and Three Blacks Near Atlanta.

Half Breed Causes the Trouble by

Defying Arrest-The

Outcome.

Atlanta, May 17.—Four white men THE and three negroes are dead and five white men wounded and an entire sult of a conflict this morning between police and blacks.

Will Richardson, half Indian, half negro, and owner of a store in the aburb of Pittsburg, brought on the trouble by resisting arrest. The scene of the trouble, the negro settlement just outside the city limits, is thickly settled with negro houses and outbuildings and barns and shrubbery, They were visible from here. Thick, direction." which afforded opportunity for Rich-Madrid, May 17 .- King Alfonso at- ardson and other negroes to clude for a time the police.

The latter believe they now have

The Dead. The dead: Ed Battle, bailiff, Fulton stricken.

H. G. Osbourn. Thomas Paheeim Grant. Edward Crabtree (policeman). Will Richardson, negro, Milton Risby, negro. Unknown negro.

#### IS IN JAIL AGAIN

Carrie Nation Fined and Sent Up for Thirty Days at Topeka.

Topcka, Kan., May 17,-Mrs. Carrie Nation was yesterday fined \$100 and sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for her part in the joint raids that took place in this city over a year ago under her direction. Mrs. Nationa made no defense whatever, and was taken to her old suite of rooms in the jail. back and expressed confidence that it was "God's will."

## **CONFIRMS STORY**

Carnegie Admits Having Offered \$20,000,000 for Independence of Philippines.

replied: "Yes, and I meant it."

before, a magnificent auditorium of antique Castilian style. Full in the center of the room stood the throne of Spain, a large piece of carved oak, guarded by bronze lions, The Englishmen grouped themselves before the are stretched across the streets from throne, and a moment later King Alfonso entered, accompanied by the noter from countless Venetian masts, bles of his nation. The young sover-The numerous grand stands from eigh stepped to the throne, and with which the people will citness the proan embassy had come from England

The Englishmen stepped forward. and the Duke of Connaught, bowing a letter from King Edward, King Ala grandee of Spain brought a footstool. King Alfonso placed his left foot upon the stool and the Duke of monarch, fastened the garter upon the and his retinue left the room and went to pay his respects to the higher Spanish ministers.

A special bull fight, in which eight bulls appeared, was held in the aftershawls on their heads or roses inter- noon at the Puerta del Sol. No fewer twined in their hair. The women of the than fifteen bull fights are to take place better class wear the graceful black in connection with the festivities and over 100 bulls are to be killed. Free dinners were given to 3,000 poor persons. This charity will be repeated palace last night. Dr. Curry, the Unit- daily until May 24. Fifty thousand pesetas have been distributed to the poor, and small sums will be deposited in savings banks in the names of all children born Saturday, May 17, the day the king takes the cath.

Senate and House in Brief. Washington, May 17 .- An effort was made by Lodge in the senate yesterday to induce the minority to fix a time when a vote might be taken on the Philippine government bill, but it failed. The day was devoted to the Philippines bill. Bills were passed appropriating \$10,000 for the establishment lakes; the bill regulating interstate and ninety-live private pension An executive session was held, and an adjournment taken to Monday

The house had another fively day of ing supposed to be under consideration, shut off the view of the city. A bill was passed refunding the tax

# RACEWARINSOUTH DEADLY MOUNT PELEE IS STILL ROARING

Volcano That Destroyed St. Pierre Continues To Be Active.

IS PANIC POPULACE STRICKEN

## block of buildings burned as the re- St. Vincent Almost Destitute and the Damage There is Enormous.

17.—Great flashes of very bright light were emitted from Mont Pelee between glowing red clouds, interspersed with flashes of light, were issuing from the GETS THE MONEY FIRST volcano yesterday morning. Showers of cinders, lasting for twenty minutes, under arrest all the negroes engaged accompanied the activity. The people Consequently a St. Louis Waiter in the districts of Lorrain, Marigot, Sainte Marie and La Trinite are panic

Washington, May 17.-Late yesterday afternoon the navy department received an unsigned cablegram, dated at St. Lucia yesterday, and apparently from Lieutenant McCormick, of the Potomac. It read as follows: "Island St. Vincent devastated north of line Marco, to whom she was engaged to Georgetown east, Chateau Belair west. Sufferers country people. Dead, 1,700; destitue, 5,000. Immediate relief supplied by local government. Destitu- FIRE DAMAGE OF \$200,000 tion will continue several months." Cables at the navy department show

that the Cincinnati has been busy helping the sufferers and that the collier Sterling, loaded with stores, has the Williow Creek storage company, reached Fort de France. Some Details from St. Vincent.

Kingstown, St. Vincent, May 17.-

A correspondent of the Associated Press has returned here from a visit on horseback to the devastated district of the island, during which he traveled fifty miles and penetrated to within five miles of the Soufriere crater. The ash-covered area of St. Vin-She expressed no regret in getting cent exceeds that of Martinique, which the correspondent has also explored. The most conservative estimate of the death rate here now places the numher at 1,700. About 1,300 bodies have already been interred. The entire northern part of the island is covered with ashes to an average depth of

eighteen inches. Island Is a Desert Waste,

asked askes resembling snow drifts, and was found by the girl's father, who whether there was any truth in the ashes rest so heavily on the roofs that had been searching for her for days. published statement that he had in several cases they have caused After the girl left President Stone's offered to pay \$20,000,000 for the Phil- them to fall in. There will soon be house a note was found in her room ippine islands, provided he was au- 5,000 destitute persons in need of as- which hinted that she intended to take thorized to announce to the Filipinos sistance from the government, which her life. that their independence would be ac- is already doing everything possible knowledged ultimately by the United to relieve the sufferers. There are 100 lodged on a pile of driftwood near States, Andrew Carnegic laconically injured people in the hospital at Goose island. He made further search them in trenches, and all that can be he saw the body of his daughter accomplished.

> on the island of Martinique killed note was not in her handwriting. more people outright, more territory has been ruined in St. Vincent, hence there is greater destitution here. The hospital here is filled with dying peo-Fifty injured persons are lying on the floor of that building, as there are no beds for their accommodation, though cots are being rapidly conwork has been in progress since imclapsed, however, before there were dig the necessary trenches, though they were offered three times the usual wages by the local authorities.

#### HE SAW THE MOUNTAIN EXPLODE First Description of the Phenomenon That

Annihilated St. Pierre. Port of Spain, Trinidad, May 17.-Mr. Albert, owner of an estate that lay a mile northeast of the crater of Mont Pelec, Martinique, has arrived here with his family and gives a description of the terrible natural convulsion that wiped out the city of St. Pierre and its 25,000 people. He said: "It was a little before 8 o'clock on the morning of May S that the end

came. I was in one of the fields of my estate when the ground trembled under my feet, not as it does when the earth quakes, but as though a terrible struggle was going on within the mountain. As I stood still Mont Pelee seemed to shudder and a moaning sound issued from its crater. Then there was a rending, crashing, grinding noise. It was deafening and the flash of light that accompanied it was blinding.

"It was like a terrible hurricane, and where a fraction of a second before there had been a perfect calm I felt myself drawn into a vortex. The mysterious force leveled a row of trees near by, leaving bare a space of ground fifteen yards wide and more than 100 yards long. Above Mont Peof a blological station on the great lee's apex a great black cloud formed ochre. Geologists attribute this phewhich reached high in the air. It litcommerce in falsely branded goods erally fell upon the city of St. Pierre. ranean sources of the springs, and "From the cloud came explosions that sounded as though all the navies canic eruptions in the West Indies. of the world were in combat. Lightning played in and out in broad forks. debate, Philippines atrocities and the | That St. Pierre was doomed I knew, Schley case coming in for considerable but I was prevented from seeing the attention, the naval appropriation be- destruction by a spur of the hill that

nue act by religious, charitable, art on St. Pierre. It was a heavy gas, like firedamp, and it must have as. Thursday.

Fort de France, Martinique, FARY | Phyxiated the inhabitants before they were touched by the fire, which quickly followed. New craters seemed to be opening all about the summit, and lava 10 and 11 o'clock Thursday night. was flowing in broad streams in every

Fails to Marry Mrs. Julia Klein.

San Francisco, May 17 .- Mrs. Julia Klein, who came here from St. Louis everal days ago, has been robbed of \$6,800 by a waiter named Charley be married. Marco disappeared.

## OCCURS IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, May 17 .- Fire today destroyed the cold storage house of The building was six stories high and filled with all kinds of merchandise. The loss is \$200,000; insured.

Houlton, Maine, May 17 .- Fire swept this town this afternoon. Aid was called from neighboring towns. The loss is estimated at half a million. Several persons were badly burned.

## FOUND HIS DAUGHTER DEAD

With Indications That Her Death Was the Result of Foul Play. Lafayette, Ind., May 17 .- Carrie M. Stengelmaier disappeared from the home of President Stone, of Purdue university, May 4, and her body has The crops are ruined, nothing green been found in the Wabash river. It can be seen, the streets of George- was caught in a submerged tree, six town are cumbered with heaps of miles below this city, and the body

Stengelmaier found a man's hat Georgetown, gangs of men are search- and in a short time saw some clothing ing for the dead or rapidly burying swaying in the water. Going closer, done under the circumstances is being caught in the fork of a tree. With difficulty he took the body from the Greater Destitution Than In Martinique. river. The father believes his daugh-While the outbreak of the volcano ter met with foul play, as he says the

#### RAISED THEIR APPRAISEMENTS Corporations at Omaha Will Have to Plank Down More Taxes.

Omaha, Neb., May 17.—The city council, which is sitting as a board of equalization by mandamus order of structed of boards. This and similar the supreme court to review alleged low valuations of franchised corporamediately after the disaster. Two days | tions, has increased the valuation of the Omaha Water company \$275,000 any burials, as the negroes refused to and that of the gas company \$375,000, a total of \$650,000 for the two concerns.

This amount, together with \$125,000 added to the valuation of the electric light and telephone companies, makes \$775,000 additional assessment levied by the reconvened board, with the street railway company's case still to

They Are Both from Indiana. Lincoln, Neb., May 17,-A little ros

mance, begun when the two were students at Union Biblical seminary, Dayton, O., culminated here when the Rev. Clarence E. Spore, of Oakland City. City, Ind., and Miss Minnie Buswell, of Lincoln, were married. Miss Suswell is the daughter of the pastor of the local United Brethren church and a former Indiana girl. The two are under appointment, Canton, China, where they go as misionaries, Sept. 1. Yates Will Be at Chicago.

Chicago, May 17 .- Orders were issued at Springfield to the members of Governor 'Yates' staff, directing them to meet the governor in Chicago on May 30, to participate in the Memorial day parade. The staff will rendezvous at the Auditorium Annex at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Disturbance Reaches to Austria. Vienna, May 17 .- The hot springs at Teplitz, Bohemia, delivered water of reddish brown color Thursday. The water was permeated with iron and nomenon to the shaking of the subterbelieve it is connected with the vol-

Has Sam Made His Pile? Cape Haytien, Hayti, May 17 .- The former president of Hayti, General Sam, and his wife will proceed to Havre, France, on the French steamer "I know that there was no flame in Olinde Rodrigues. General Sam boardon legacies paid under the war reve- the first wave that was sent down up- ed the Rodrigues May 13, but she was detained at Port au Prince until